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ACTUATOR AND DRIVING METHOD THEREOF
By: Shinya MATSUDA, Takashi MATSUO and Masayuki UYAMA
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing are the following papers relating to
ACTUATOR AND DRIVING METHOD THEREOF, Shinya MATSUDA, Takashi
MATSUO and Masayuki UYAMA, inventors:

- (1) Specification;
- (2) Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- (3) Formal Drawings (20 sheets);

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- (4) Preliminary Amendment;
- (5) Certified Copies of the Priority Documents;
- (6) Transmittal of PrintEFS Patent Application Bibliographic Data;
- (7) Assignment of the invention to MINOLTA CO., LTD., with attached Recordation Form Cover Sheet;
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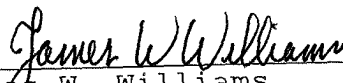
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BIBLIOGRAPHIC DATA

Submitted herewith is bibliographic data (2 pages) for
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